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## A STATEMENT

Of Doctrine Unanimously Adopted

By Theologians

Representing Churches Containing Over

SIXTY MILLIONS OF CHRISTIANS

For two years representatives of the Evangelical Church of Great Britain, including the Baptist, Congregational, Methodist and Presbyterian, have been engaged in forming a creed embracing all the points on which they agree without surrendering of any doctrine or principle. While it does not express all which any church believes, it shows the fundamental doctrines on which the churches agree. This is acceptable to the churches representing a large majority of the Christians of the English speaking world.

It was drafted by Oswald Dykes, an eminent Presbyterian theologian. His work was carefully examined by a committee of twenty representative men and adopted with a dissenting voice.

The chairman of both these committees was Rev. Hugh Price Hughes of the Wesleyan Methodist Church.

The creed is not binding on any denomination. It stands on its merits. We take pleasure in presenting to the readers of the ADVOCATE this creed which appears in the form of a catechism containing fifty-two questions and answers, and is as follows:

### The New Catechism.

Q. What is the Christian religion?

A. It is the religion founded by our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who has brought to us the full knowledge of God and of Eternal life.

Q. How must we think of God?

A. God is the one Eternal Spirit, Creator and Sustainer of all things. He is Love, boundless in wisdom and power, perfect in holiness and justice, in mercy and truth.

Q. By what name has Jesus taught us to call God?

A. Our Father in Heaven.

Q. What do we learn from the name of Father?

A. We learn that God made us in his own image, that He cares for us by his wise providence, and that

## Scrofula to Consumption.

Any one predisposed to Scrofula can never be healthy and vigorous. This taint in the blood naturally drifts into Consumption. Being such a deep-seated blood disease, Swift's Specific is the only known cure for Scrofula, because it is the only remedy which can reach the disease.

Scrofula appeared on the head of my little grandson when only months old. Shortly after breaking out it spread rapidly all over his body. The scales on the sores would come off, and the sores would bleed and the odor that would arise made the atmosphere of the house insupportable. The disease next attacked his eyes, and we feared he would lose sight. I sent him to a Baptist physician from the surrounding country, who examined him and said he was hopeless and that he would never be cured. I then decided to try Swift's Specific. I sent him at once made a speedy and complete cure. He is now a young lady, and has never had a sign of the disease. S. K. BAKER, Mrs. RUTH BAKER.

Scrofula is an obstinate blood disease, and is beyond the reach of the average blood medicine. Swift's Specific

## S.S.S. For the Blood

is the only remedy equal to such deep-seated diseases; it goes down to the very foundation and forces out every taint. It is purely vegetable, and is the only blood remedy guaranteed to contain no mercury, potash or other mineral substance whatever. Books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Georgia.

He loves far better than any earthly parent can.

Q. What does Jesus say about Himself?

A. That He is the Son of God, whom the Father in His great love sent into the world to be our Saviour from sin.

Q. What is sin?

A. Sin is any thought or feeling, word or act, which either is contrary to God's holy law, or falls short of what it requires.

Q. Say in brief what God's law requires.

A. That we should love God with our whole heart and our neighbor as ourselves.

Q. Are we able of ourselves to do this?

A. No; for, although man was made innocent at the first, yet he fell into disobedience, and since then no one has been able, in his own strength, to keep God's law.

Q. What are the consequences of sin?

A. Sin separates man from God, corrupts his nature, exposes him to manifold pains and griefs, and unless he repents, must issue in death eternal.

Q. Can we deliver ourselves from sin and its consequences?

A. By no means; for we are unable either to cleanse our own hearts or to make amends for our offences.

Q. How did the Son of God save His people from their sins?

A. For our salvation He came down from Heaven, and was incarnate by the Holy Ghost of the Virgin Mary, and was made man and was crucified also for us under Pontius Pilate. He suffered and was buried, and the third day He rose again according to the Scriptures, and ascended into Heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of the Father.

Q. What benefits have we from the Son of God becoming man?

A. We have a Mediator between God and men; one who as God reveals to us what God is; and, as a perfect man, represents our race before God.

Q. What further benefits have we from our Lord's life on earth?

A. We have in Him a brother man who is touched with the feeling of our infirmities, as well as a perfect example of what we ought to be.

Q. What did He accomplish for us by His death on the Cross?

A. By offering Himself a sacrifice without blemish unto God, He fulfilled the requirements of Divine Holiness, atoned for all our sins, and broke the power of sin.

Q. What does the resurrection of Jesus teach us?

A. It assures us that He has finished the work of our redemption; that the dominion of death is ended; and that, because He lives, we shall live also.

Q. What do we learn from His ascension into Heaven?

A. That we have in Him an Advocate with the Father, who ever liveth to make intercession for us.

Q. What do we learn from His session at the right hand of God?

A. That He is exalted as our Head and King, to Whom has been given all authority in Heaven and on earth.

Q. How does Jesus Christ still carry on His work of salvation?

A. By the third person, in the blessed Trinity, the Holy Spirit, who was sent forth at Pentecost.

Q. What is the mystery of the blessed Trinity?

A. That the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, into Whose Name we are baptized, are one God.

Q. What must we do in order to be saved?

A. We must repent of our sin and believe on the Lord Jesus Christ.

Q. What is it to repent?

A. He who truly repents of his sin not only confesses it with shame and sorrow, but above all he turns from it to God with sincere desire to be forgiven and steadfast purpose to sin no more.

Q. What is it to believe on the Lord Jesus Christ?

A. It means that we rely on Him as our Teacher, Saviour and Lord,

## ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE  
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

putting our whole trust in the grace of God through Him.

Q. How are we enabled to repent and believe?

A. By the secret power of the Holy Spirit working graciously in our hearts, and using for this end providential discipline and the message of the Gospel.

Q. What benefits do we receive when we repent and believe?

A. Being united to Christ by faith our sins are freely forgiven for His sake, our hearts are renewed, and we become children of God and joint-heirs with Christ.

Q. In what way are we to show ourselves thankful for such great benefits?

A. By striving to follow the example of Jesus in doing and bearing the will of our Heavenly Father.

Q. Where do we find God's will briefly expressed?

A. In the Decalogue or Law of the Ten Commandments as explained by Jesus Christ.

Q. Repeat the Ten Commandments.

(Here the Ten Commandments are written out in full.)

Q. How has our Lord taught us to understand this law?

A. He taught that the law reaches to the desires, motives and intentions of the heart, so that we cannot keep it unless we love God with our whole heart and our neighbor as ourselves.

(Here follows a detailed interpretation and explanation of the Ten Commandments.)

Q. What special means has God provided to assist us in leading a life of obedience?

A. His Word, Prayer, the Sacraments, and the Fellowship of the Church.

Q. Where do we find God's Word written?

A. In the Holy Bible, which is the inspired record of God's revelation given to be our rule of faith and duty.

Q. What is Prayer?

A. In prayer we commune with our Father in Heaven, confess our sins, give Him thanks for all His benefits, and ask, in the name of Jesus for such things as He has promised.

Q. Repeat the Lord's Prayer.

(Here follows the Lord's Prayer and detailed explanations of its clauses.)

Q. What is the Holy Catholic Church?

A. It is that Holy Society of believers in Christ Jesus which He founded, of which He is the only Head, and in which He dwells by His Spirit; so that, though made up of many communions, organized in various modes, and scattered throughout the world, it is yet One in Him.

Q. For what ends did our Lord found His Church?

A. To unite His people into this visible brotherhood for the worship of God and the ministry of the Word and the Sacraments; for mutual edification, the administration of discipline, and the advancement of His Kingdom.

Q. What is the essential mark of a true branch of the Catholic Church?

A. The essential mark of a true branch of the Catholic Church is the presence of Christ, through His indwelling Spirit, manifested in holy life and fellowship.

Q. What is a Free Church?

A. A Church which acknowledges none but Jesus Christ as Head, and, therefore, exercises its right to interpret and administer His laws without restraint or control by the State.

Q. What is the duty of the Church to the State?

A. The duty of the Church to the State is to be a true and faithful witness to the principles of the Gospel.

Q. What is the duty of the individual Christian to the State?

A. The duty of the individual Christian to the State is to be a true and faithful citizen, and to obey the laws of the State.

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Thoughts on Missions, Social and Commercial.

(Christian Standard.)

Admiral Fremantle is reported to have said that every missionary who went to Central Africa did more toward the abolition of the slave trade than half a dozen of Her Majesty's cruisers.

An English Consul expresses the opinion that undoubtedly commercial interests are advanced by the presence of the missionaries in districts of the interior which are never visited by merchants. The hostility of the natives toward foreigners is, he says, apparently diminished by missionaries living among them.

It is said on good authority that China has made more progress in the last year than in the thousand years preceding. It is true that the Emperor has been deposed and some of his advisors have been beheaded; but for every reformer who lost his head a thousand will spring up to take his place and to carry on the work.

Bishop Tugwell says the two thoughts increasingly impressed him in his journeys through Africa were the ardor, devotion and courage of the British naval, military and commercial world; second, the apathy and indifference of the English church. Men are found in large numbers willing to brave the dangers of the climate at the call of the Queen. It is difficult to get men fully equipped to go out and endure similar hardships in preaching the gospel.

Admiral Belknap said: "I assert without fear of contradiction that there is not an official, merchant or other person, from emperors, viceroys, governors, judges, generals, ministers, admirals, merchants and others down to the lowest coolies in China, Japan, Siam and Korea, who, in their associations and dealings with their fellowmen in that quarter of the globe, are not indebted every day of their lives to the work and achievements of the American missionaries."

Miss Litch tells of how the native Christians of Ceylon contribute for the Lord's work. Each morning, when a Christian measures out the rice for the day, so many handfuls for her husband, for each child, for herself, she takes one handful or more and puts it into a box marked, "The Lord's Box." From time to time the church treasurer visits all the Christian homes, collects the rice from these boxes, sells it, and sends the money to the native missionary society.

### A Lawful Sabbath.

The Reporter has always contended that most of the saloons men preferred to close their places on Sunday, and would do so if assured that every place in town would close. Sunday closing ordinance was observed again, and we heard of no place on the town. The best class of saloon-keepers owe it to themselves and to the community to assist in the absolute observance of the law. If there are intrusions, business sense demands that they call the attention of the police to it. Keep the law and see that others keep it.

Preachers, women and editors are not the only people interested in having a moral and law-abiding community.—Paris Reporter.

### The Eagle, King of All Birds,

Is noted for its keen sight, clear and distinct visions. So are those persons who use Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve for weak eyes, styes, sore eyes of any kind or granulated lids. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents.

Why send away from home for calling cards when the ADVOCATE can furnish them?

## CONDUCTORS

To Call on Railway Men to Work

Against Goebel.

WHAT THE SENATOR'S FRIENDS

Say About It—Things Political

Warming Up.

A dispatch from Louisville last week said: The railway conductors of this city will give out for publication a card calling on the organized railway men to work against Senator William Goebel for the Democratic nomination for Governor.

The excuse is the following from the Senator's Hartford speech: "In the campaign of 1896 the railway employees were driven down Main street in Louisville like slaves in order that the national honor might be preserved."

The friends of Mr. Goebel in this city say that the card is being prepared at the instance of the heads of the railroads, who are doing all they can to defeat Mr. Goebel.

### GOOD REMEDIES

For Splints and Wind Puffs—Cure For the Poll Evil.

For splints mix two dr. cantharides with one oz. lard, rub a little of this on the splint once every second week. For wind-puffs, mix one dr. blunellid of mercury with 1/2 oz. vasoline, and rub on a little of this once a week. For poll-evils, take a probe and find the depth and direction of the opening, then dip a small piece of soft muslin in turpentine of autumn and press it into the opening. Let it remain in for two hours, then draw it out. Repeat every third day until the swelling disappears, then allow it to heal.

Neighborhood Telephone Lines for Farmers.

The time is undoubtedly coming very rapidly when the isolation of the farmer will become mitigated, owing to "neighborhood telephone lines," by means of which they can communicate with each other without reference to the condition of roads or press of work. A local paper of an island city in New York State describes an interesting line where the subscribers constructed the line, furnishing the tools and doing the work themselves, the expense for wire, instruments, etc., was equally divided among them, and the cost was only about \$14 per share. The line, of course, is free to subscribers, but others can make use of it by the payment of a small fee. At present there are ten subscribers to the line.—Scientific American.

### Persistence.

In a recent chat with an interviewer, Mr. Edison, quite unaccountably, preached a most powerful sermon on persistence.

He described his repeated efforts to make the phonograph reproduce the silbiant sound, and added:

"From eighteen to twenty hours a day for the last seven months I have worked on this single word 'speela.' I said into the phonograph 'Speela, speela, speela,' but the instrument reproduced 'peela, peela, peela.' It was enough to drive one mad. But I held firm and I have succeeded."

### A Good Decision.

"Four years ago I was feeling bad, had no appetite and was nervous. I read about Hood's Sarsaparilla and decided to try it, and after I had taken half a dozen bottles my appetite returned and I had greatly improved in health."—Miss Florence Hughes, 72 Riddle street, Covington, Ky.

That distress after eating is prevented by one or two of Hood's Pills. They don't gripe.

## Enoch's Bargain House!

## Wall Paper.

We have just received our NEW SPRING LINE of WALL PAPER, which is now complete, and is one of the biggest and prettiest lines we have ever shown. Prices ranging from 5c a bolt up.

## Stoves.

We carry a line of Stoves, which is unequalled. In our O. K. JEWELLS we guarantee every back 5 years.

## 5c and 10c Counters.

Everybody looks for our 5 and 10 cent Counters. They are now full and complete with new and attractive goods. BIG BARGAINS.

## Dry Goods.

We are closing out our Dry Goods at one-half price to get rid of them. Call and look at them.

### TINWARE.

QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE, HARDWARE.

OUR MOTTO:—"Big Sales and Little Profit."

## Enoch's Bargain House,

WEST MAIN STREET, Mt. Sterling.

## Attention!

We will pay the highest market cash price for live Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Old Hens and Roosters, Eggs and Hides and Furs.

## Sullivan & Toohy

204 Mt. Sterling, Ky.

## Our Penitentiary Called a Den of Iniquity.

Acting Governor Worthington on Wednesday pardoned Jackson Cox, the "Baby Convict" of the Frankfort penitentiary. Cox is 13 years of age and was sent up from Pike county to serve two years for burning a barn. He has served six weeks.

In pardoning him Gov. Worthington in substance says: "Until Kentucky provides a more suitable reformatory for her youthful offenders than the present den of iniquity, I shall continue to turn them out so fast as they are sent here."









## "Courage and Strength in Times of Danger."

Read the warning between the lines. What is that warning? It is of the danger from the accumulation of badness in the blood, caused by the usual heavy living of the winter months. Spring is the clearing, cleansing time of the year; the forerunner of the brightness and beauty of glorious summer.

Follow the principle that Nature lays down. Start in at once and purify your blood with that great specific, Hood's Sarsaparilla. It never disappoints.

**Crip**—Sixteen weeks of crip made me weak, but after all else failed Hood's Sarsaparilla cured me. I lost overworked and dyspepsia and cancer in mouth and throat. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it completely restored me. I am now a strong, healthy man.

**Rheumatism**—I myself and a friend were afflicted from severe attacks of rheumatism. Hood's Sarsaparilla cured us. We would not be without it." Wm. H. Lewis, 66 Leonard St., Fall River, Mass.

**Head and Back**—I was afflicted with a pain in my back and head prevented my household duties. I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and it cured me. I am now a strong, healthy man.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
NEVER DISAPPOINTS  
Hood's Pills are the only ones that will cure and only medicine to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

### Thoughts For Mothers.

Of all persons it is the most important the mother should be. The extent of her influence is incalculable. "Oh, I have too much to do to read," constantly greets our ear. But she makes time to ruffle and puff her children's clothes. This must be done though it consumes the midnight oil, and shortens the mother's life; but for those things which clothe and beautify the mind, there is no time.

Any careless observer will notice the difference in the tone of mind and thought in the children of intelligent parents and of those who think only of bodily adornment. An intelligent father is good, but a well-read, well-informed mother is better. It is she who is the child's constant companion, giving tone and complexion to his thoughts. "The she who answers the thousand and one questions of childhood life. Happy is the child whose mother is able to do so understandingly. Mothers, puff a little less and read a little more. The former will go out of style, the latter will never be regretted.

Holy keep the Sabbath day.  
As we work or think or pray;  
We may keep it wholely or partly,  
Or by helping those in need.  
—The Island.

A Minnesota friend writes: "Some time ago one of those smart young men who are always looking to get something for nothing, discovered an advertisement in one of the Chicago dailies of a very high-bred Wisconsin mare for sale by a widow in Chicago. This man was very much interested in the mare, and would be sold very cheap to a good, responsible party outside of the city. So our smart young man coaxed his father to give him the money, and he went to Chicago and purchased the mare and brought her home. The mare, of course, cannot trot fast enough to get warm, and now the young man is sorry that the widow lost her husband. I think she is the same widow who has been desiring in horses in Chicago for the last fifteen or twenty years.

### For Poultrymen.

Any person desiring to order fine chickens, or their eggs, as advertised for L. A. Woodford & Co., will leave their orders with us. We have price list and will take pleasure in securing what you want. 34-cent

### ARE YOU A DEMOCRAT?

An old adage reads: "There is a place for everything, and for everything to be in its place, the LOUISVILLE DISPATCH should find a place in the home of every DEMOCRAT in the SUNNY SOUTH. The Dispatch is the people's paper, owned by the people, and is always ready to fight for the cause of the people. IT STANDS SQUARELY ON THE CHICAGO PLAT-FORM, without the aid or counsel of Gold Bug Monopolies, and a fair comparison of its news service (now being furnished over leased wires by the New York Sun, the Chicago Inter Ocean and the Northern Press Association) with that of any other paper, will fully verify the old motto, "If you see it in the Dispatch it's true, and if it's so it is always in the Dispatch."

The Dispatch also has a staff of over 200 active correspondents in the South, and in FOREIGN COUNTRIES. It is the only paper that has a special correspondent in every Southern State. THE SOUTHERN NEWS SERVICE, a branch of the Dispatch, gives the news and tells the story about it.

Daily, 3 pages; Sunday, 2 pages. Weekly, 1 page. We want the Weekly Dispatch at the remarkably low price of

## GOOSE FARMING

### BIG MONEY RAISING GEES.

Must Have Plenty of Range and Pasture.

Considerable Revenue From the Feathers Alone.

The following interesting article on goose farming was written by Chas. McClave, of Ohio:

"The breeding and growing of geese on a large scale for market and egg purposes could undoubtedly be made profitable if handled in a practical manner. It would be necessary to have farm range with plenty of pasture and sufficient water for the birds. It would be necessary to have a small lake or spring water or pond water is insufficient. Geese, as a rule do not require much grain, as the young feed almost entirely on the pasture.

"Our best geese are grown to about five months of age with less than one peck of grain each. After that age, if good weights are desired, furnish them with grain food.

"The mature or breeding stock should be fed very lightly during the spring and summer months, as over-luscious specimens are usually entirely worthless as breeders.

"The leading varieties for both market and egg purposes are the Toulouse, Embden, African, White and Brown Chinese. As a general purpose geese, in my opinion, the Toulouse leads all other varieties; the Embden are about the same size as the Toulouse, but much poorer layers. The Chinese are a smaller goose, but the best layers of any variety.

"We have produced large numbers of young Toulouse at six months of age, weighing on an average of 32 to 35 pounds per pair, and Chinese average 25 to 28 pounds per pair. To obtain the best results in hatching it is necessary to use common hens to hatch and care for the young geese. After the goslings are eight weeks old they may be safely turned into the water, the best time of year being the last of August and again in October provided they are not being fattened for market. It would not be necessary to secure the best farming land for goose raising; on the other hand geese would thrive much better in low, marshy land which had not been under-drained. If properly handled I see no reason why this industry should not prove a financial success.

### A Word of Warning.

Several years ago this section of the State was canvassed by a lot of agents who sold steel ranges at a big price. They were pretty fair stoves, but cost from fifteen to twenty-five dollars more than as good or better ranges would cost if bought from local dealers. We learn that another invasion is contemplated and that innocent looking receipts for ranges left on trial, turn out to be promissory notes, with all exemptions which the law allows, waived. Our people should be very careful in signing any paper presented by a stranger, as it generally means much more than appears on its face.—Winchester Democrat.

### Lung Irritation

Is the forerunner to consumption. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure it, and give such strength to the lungs that a cough or cold will not return there. Twenty-five cents at all good druggists.

### Manhood.

The first cannon ball of the American revolution proclaimed to the world that a new nationality had been established; not on wealth or class or trade or Senate statutes, but on manhood.—Rev. Dr. Conaty.

## Women Should Know It.

Many women suffer mental agony and misery because the nature of their disease is not correctly understood. They have been led to believe that womb trouble or female weakness of some sort is responsible for the many ills that beset womanhood. Neuralgia, nervousness, headache, puff, or dark circles under the eyes, rheumatism, a dragging pain or dull ache in the back, weakness or bearing-down sensation, profuse or scanty supply of urine with strong odor, frequent desire to pass it with scalding or burning sensation, sediment in it after standing in bottle or common glass for twenty-four hours, are signs of kidney and bladder trouble.

The above symptoms are often attributed by the patient herself or by her physician to female weakness or womb trouble. Hence, so many fail to obtain relief, as they are treating, not the disease itself, but a reflection of the primary cause, which is kidney trouble.

In fact, women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble and both need the same remedy.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is the great discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is easy to get at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar.

To prove its wonderful merits you may have a sample bottle and book telling all about it, both sent absolutely free by mail. Kindly mention the Mr. Swartz, Apocryph and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

### A REVOLUTION

Of the Lamp Chimney Industry By Machines.

The lamp chimney industry at Anderson, Ind., has at last been struck by the machine process revolution, and the big plant is closing to put in machines or because unable to control patents—they are unable to meet competitors.

It is exactly a repetition of what the fruit jar industry passed through last month.

Now every hand-made jar plant in the country is shut down, because of inability to meet the prices the machine operators are able to quote. In lamp chimneys the difference is very great. Hand-made chimneys have a labor cost of \$3.50 per 280, while with the new machines the cost is \$7 per 280, or about 75 cents 280, while other advantages are gained in increased production capacity.

It means a complete revolution.

Judge Scott Declares Local Option Law Invalid.

The Nicholasville Democrat prints this important contribution to local option literature. Judge Scott's decision is not criticized for its learned and impartial Judge is sustained by the law and facts. The Democrat says:

"Local Option Law Declared Invalid. On Monday afternoon Judge Scott rendered a decision that is of vital interest to every man, woman and child in the county. In the case against J. N. Abraham for selling whisky in a local option precinct it was decided that the local option law in civil district No. 5 is invalid on the ground that the petition was filed and the order made for the election at the same time of court. The local option laws were voted for under the act of 1874, and elections were held in the various precincts during the summer and fall of that year. This decision renders invalid local option law in all precincts in the county, as the same state of facts exists in all precincts. Judge Scott's decision is in accord with the decision of the Court of Appeals in a similar case that was taken up from Lee county.

"The decision, which is a just one according to law, is, nevertheless, a very severe blow to those persons who voted to out whisky in their respective precincts. Whisky can now be sold in any precinct in the county just as it was before the act of 1874. A line is not criticism for its learned and impartial Judge is sustained by the law and facts. The Democrat says:

### New Rates on Foreign Postage.

Postage rates for letters for foreign countries is five cents for each half ounce or fraction of half ounce, and that if postage upon letters is not prepaid in full at that rate, double the deficiency must be paid by the addressee, or the letters are not delivered.

## BLUE GRASS

### R. & L. CASE IS DECIDED

The Clay Receivership Nullified.

Original Stockholders Are Again in Control.

The stockholders of the Blue Grass Building and Loan Association as represented by the directorate elected last June, of which Mr. J. W. Porter is President and Mr. C. C. Patterson is Secretary, won a marked victory in a decision rendered by Circuit Judge Horace H. Lorton in the Federal Court in Cincinnati. It is a knockout for the Clay faction.

Judge Lorton's decision related to the question of the receivership of the association, his court being petitioned to do away with this and relegate the property to the stockholders.

His decision was affirmative and as a consequence the stockholders who opposed the assignment, with Bishop Clay as assignee, was made by the board of directors, without any reference to the stockholders.

A great amount of dissatisfaction was manifested and the memorable meeting of stockholders in the Circuit Court room was held, which resulted in a signal defeat for Mr. Clay, electing an entirely new board.

Thereupon a petition was filed in the Federal District Court in Louisville for a receiver, and Judge Barr granted it, and appointed Mr. Charles Kerr as temporary receiver.

Thereupon the question of doing away with the receivership altogether was sprung, and Judge Barr was called upon to respond to this petition.

The case was transferred to the Federal Court in Cincinnati, and Judge Lorton now decides the question.

His decision is far-reaching.

It absolutely nullifies the present receivership and re-establishes the association in its position before the assignment—that there is an entirely different board of directors.

This body now consists of Messrs. G. M. Asher, H. Kendall, T. H. Kinulder, J. W. Porter, Lexington; W. M. Moore, Pointedown, Ky., and J. L. Williamson, Carlisle, Ky.

The stockholders represented by the present board had Mr. Charles H. Stoll and Humphreys & Davis as attorneys, and Mr. Clay's assignee, Bronston & Allen and Mr. Helm Bruce.

This contest has been a memorable one—relating as it does to an association that did almost the largest business of any like corporation in the State. There is represented in the suit over \$275,000, and its management is a matter of great moment as has been shown by the great fight for its control.—Lexington Leader.

### Sheep Industry.

Mr. T. P. Strode, former Kentucky, now resident of Montana, and engaged in sheep industry, sold from his last years flock a 10,000 wool clip and from the flock \$7,000 of sheep. This year his clip will be from 70,000 to 80,000 pounds and in addition to this he will have a large number of sheep for sale. The aggregate revenue from the flock will be near \$20,000. Mr. Strode is a grand-son of T. P. Sutton, of Fleming county. He will return to his home in Montana the 20th inst., taking with him two bucks which he bought in Ohio, at a cost of \$30 per head.

### Great Ideas.

Great ideas are in the souls of the best men, and the public has to educate up to them. The English language is gradually becoming the speech of the vast majority of the human race, and through it the most beautiful ideas on the gift of God and the destiny of man will gain almost universal currency.—Rev. H. Thomas.

### Weak Eyes Are Made Strong.

Dim vision made clear, spots removed and granulated lid, or sore eyes of any kind speedily and effectually cured by the use of Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve. It's put up in tubes, and sold on a guarantee by all good druggists.

## SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Schedule in effect Nov. 22, 1893.				
STATIONS.	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.
LEXINGTON	7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.	7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m.
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## GREENBACKS or Government Money.

At close of our Civil War in 1865, there appeared in the London Times the following:

"If that mischievous financial policy which had its origin in the North American Republic during the late Civil War in that country, should become indurated down to a fixture, then that government will furnish its money without cost. It will have all the money that is necessary to carry on its trade and commerce. It will become prosperous beyond precedent in the history of civilized nations of the world. The brain and wealth of all countries will go to London. THAT GOVERNMENT MUST BE DESTROYED OR IT WILL DESTROY EVERY MONARCHY ON THIS GLOBE."

The famous Hazzard circular, to capitalists in New York, and the Bull Bank circular to United States Bankers, both emanating from London, and the fabulous corruption fund raised in England and Germany, estimated at \$1,500,000, were the agents that secured the closing of our mints against silver.

The "walk into my parlor" policy of England, during and since the Spanish War, is the latest evidence of English Diplomacy in shaping the destiny of the United States Government.

Notwithstanding the famine price of wheat, the Spanish War, and the enormous expenditures of money by our government during the past year, gold has increased in value eleven per cent, and all other values decreased in the same proportion.

For a thorough understanding of the money question, or silver issue, the Cincinnati Enquirer has uniformly given evidence of its ability to teach, explain and produce all facts and truth. It is a paper that ought and can be read by all classes with pleasure and profit.

## GEN. GOMEZ

Issues an Address to the Cuban People and Army.

SAYS HE IS A SINCERE MAN.

Having Finished His Mission, He Sheathes His Sword.

Gen. Maximo Gomez has issued the following statement to the Cuban people and army:

"By the use of the supreme faculties with which it is endowed, the Assembly, representing the army only, has deposed me as Commander-in-chief of the Cuban army, which grade it conferred upon me during the last war. As Commander-in-chief I always followed the dictates of my best conscience and the call of great national needs. I endeavored in all circumstances to fulfill my duty.

"The Assembly considers the fact that I do not aid in its efforts to raise loans which later would compromise the greatest financial and political interest of Cuba, to be an act of insubordination and of want of respect. The primary cause for the action taken against me is my conviction that Cuba should begin the exercise of its own sovereignty, as a republic of union and concord, proclaimed at Monte Cristo and sustained unimpaired on the field of battle, free from all compromise, keeping the nation's honor spotless.

"As for the rest, as a sincere man, I confess I thank them, because they relieve me of great political obligations, and also leave me free to return to my abandoned home, which, during thirty years of continual strife for the good of this country that I love so much, has been my one aspiration. Foreigner as I am, I did not come to serve this country by helping it to justify its cause as a mercenary soldier; and, consequently, since the oppressive power of Spain has withdrawn from this land and left Cuba in freedom, I have sheathed my sword, thinking I had finished the mission which I had voluntarily imposed upon myself. I am owed nothing. I retire contented and satisfied at having done all I could for the benefit of my brothers. Wherever destiny rules that I make my home, there can the Cubans depend upon a friend."

**Coughed 25 Years.**  
I suffered for 25 years with a cough, and spent hundreds of dollars with doctors for medicine to no avail until I used Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. This remedy makes weak lungs strong. It has saved my life.—J. R. Rosell, Grainsburg, Ill.

**Michigan's Peach Loss.**

Prof. Tatt of the Agricultural College says:  
"From samples received, I am sure nearly all the fruit buds upon the tender varieties of peach trees in the Michigan peach belt have been destroyed. There are some sections where the hardy varieties in the elevated locations have escaped, but throughout the northern half of the fruit belt the young trees are badly injured and many of the larger trees upon low ground have also been destroyed. The temperature in some sections dropped 40 degrees below zero, and as the wood was not in the best condition the result has been disastrous."

"In many interior counties where peaches are also largely grown, the prospects are better and many of the older orchards promise fair crops. I have less definite information regarding the other fruits, but many of the tender varieties of apples, pears and plums upon low ground have undoubtedly been destroyed, and the crops at best will be greatly reduced."

**America.**  
All must agree that whatever the future relationship of America and her so-called possessions, the interests of all concerned involve the preparation of these people for civilization.—Rev. L. Sprague.

**Duty.**  
Duty performed demands no excuse; it is no fulfillment of obvious duty that causes the faltering and untrustworthy excuse to be made.—Rev. H. C. Stanton.

## The Proper Way to Handle Beans.

A mother writes this letter:  
Mr. Editor:—I have two daughters. Two of them are marriageable. Each of them has a beau. These young men have been their steady company for two or three years. But they don't say marriage. They come around two or three times a week. They take the girls to entertainments and give them gifts. But they don't say marriage. If they don't mean business, why do they come? If they do mean business, why don't they speak? If they had not monopolized the time of my daughters and not acted if they were lovers, paying attention with a view of matrimony, other young men might come around. Now the names of my daughters are associated with theirs in the public mind of this place and everybody thinks they are engaged. My daughters can't tell whether or not all their "palavering" was in earnest or whether it will ever reach a definite proposal. They like the young men and would not want to drive them off if there is a reasonable prospect of marriage. But I want my girls settled in life. They are past twenty. I don't want their good name injured, or them to waste their time on triflers, or to grow old that no one will have them. Who would you do? What should I do? Their father is dead. I have no sons. The responsibility is all mine. Please give me your advice.  
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The anxiety of the mother is reasonable. No man should play the lover unless he is ready to marry. As soon as he has courted a young woman long enough to determine whether or not she would suit him as a wife, he should do one of two things: propose to her, if she satisfies his ideal, or stop paying her attentions, if she does not suit his requirements.

As a rule no courtship should last over a year, and no engagement should remain unfulfilled longer than three months.

When a young man keeps on visiting a young lady frequently and acting as if he was a suitor for her, but never pops the question and asks to have the date fixed, he should be taken aside by the parents of the damsel and asked what his intentions are. If he is seeking a wife honorably and in good faith, he will be glad of the chance to say so; if he is a bogus lover he ought to be kicked out of doors.

The man who trifles with a girl's affections, who jeopardizes her future, who by his persistent attentions detours better men from paying court, is a scamp.

Therefore, good friend, pluck up courage, and the very next time that those young men come to toast themselves before your parlor fire, ask them plainly, by a mother's right to know, whether or not they love your daughters and desire to marry them. If they do, let the happy day be named; if they don't, show them the door.—Catholic Cincinnatian.

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## CONVENTION

To Nominate a Democratic Candidate

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

Official Call Names Winchester and April 26.

The Third Railroad District Committee met at Lexington on last Wednesday afternoon and issued a call for a convention to nominate a Democrat for Railroad Commissioner, from this district. The convention will be held at Winchester on Wednesday, April 26.

The following is the official call in full:  
"Resolved, That a district convention shall be held in the Third Railroad District of Kentucky on Wednesday, April 26, 1899, for the purpose of nominating a Democratic candidate for Railroad Commissioner, from said district. Said convention will meet in the city of Winchester at 1 o'clock p. m. Delegates to said convention shall be chosen at county mass conventions, to be held at various county seats in the district at 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, April 15, 1899.

"That the basis of representation from each county to the district convention shall be one delegate for every two hundred votes and each fraction over one hundred votes cast for the head of the Democratic electoral ticket at the Presidential election in 1896.

"That all known Democrats and others who will pledge themselves to support the nominee of said district convention shall be entitled to participate in the county conventions to select delegates."  
J. M. LASSING, Chairman.  
"SOUTH TRIMBLE, Secretary."

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29-31 Daily Times, Bowling Green, Ky.

It is pretty generally believed among the best-posted horsemen that The Abbot (2-08) and Nio (2-04) will prove themselves to be the two fastest trotters out this season. A singular coincidence, in which the names of these two trotters figured occurred in New York last week. After the close of the congressional meeting of the National Trotting Association, a group of horsemen were discussing the racing prospects of the coming season. Andy Welch and Mike Bowerman were each disposed to wager something that he could name a trotter which, at the close of 1899, will lead a faster record than any that could be named by the other. Mr. William B. Faig asked permission to be one of the party, and his request was granted. Each wrote on a separate piece of paper the name of the horse, which, according to his judgment, would do the trick. An examination of the papers showed that they all had written The Abbot. Of course the bets were off, and they tried again, with The Abbot barred. Upon comparing notes the second time, it was found that all three had written Nio (2-08).

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**Will Have Some Feaches.**

With us peach trees do not appear to be injured to any serious extent. In some places the buds are all killed, but in others half or more are alive.—Prof. L. H. Bailey, Ithaca, New York.

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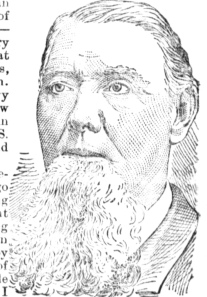
## S. S. S. GOES TO THE BOTTOM.

**Promptly Reaches the Seat of all Blood Diseases and Cures the Worst Cases.**

In every test made S. S. S. easily demonstrates its superiority over other blood remedies. It matters not how obstinate the case, nor what other treatment or remedies have failed, S. S. S. always promptly reaches and cures any disease where the blood is in any way involved. Everyone who has had experience with blood diseases knows that there are no ailments or troubles so obstinate or difficult to cure. Very few remedies claim to cure such real, deep-seated blood diseases as S. S. S. cures, and none can offer such incontrovertible evidence of merit. S. S. S. is not merely a tonic—it is a cure! It goes down to the very seat of all blood diseases, and gets at the foundation of the very worst cases, and routes the poison from the system. It does not, like other remedies, dry up the poison and hide it from view temporarily, only to break forth again more violently than ever; S. S. S. forces out every trace of taint, and rids the system of it forever.

Capt. J. H. McBrayor, of Lawrenceburg, Ky., writes: "Some years ago I was shot in the left leg, receiving what I considered only a slight wound. It developed into a running sore, and gave me a great deal of pain and inconvenience. I was treated by many doctors, and took a number of blood remedies, but none seemed able to check the progress of the sore. I had heard Swift's Specific (S. S. S.) highly recommended for the blood, and concluded to give it a trial, and the result was highly gratifying. S. S. S. seemed to get right at the trouble, forced the poison out of my blood; soon afterwards the sore healed up and was cured sound and well." Swift's Specific—

**S. S. S. FOR THE BLOOD**  
—is the only blood remedy that is guaranteed purely vegetable, and contains no mercury, opium, arsenic, or any other mineral or chemical. It never fails to cure Cancer, Eczema, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Contagious Blood Poison, Tetters, Boils, Carbuncles, Sores, etc. Valuable books mailed free by Swift Specific Company, Atlanta, Ga.





# Are You Ever Depressed?

And is it not due to nervous exhaustion? Things always look so much brighter when we are in good health. How can you have courage when suffering with headache, nervous prostration and great physical weakness?

Would you not like to be rid of this depression of spirits?

How? By removing the cause. By taking



It gives activity to all parts that carry away useless and poisonous materials from your body. It removes the cause of your suffering, because it removes all impurities from your blood. Send for our book on Nervousness.

To keep in good health you must have perfect action of the bowels. Ayer's Pills cure constipation and biliousness.

Write to our Doctors. Perhaps you would like to consult a physician. Then write us freely all the particulars in your case. You will receive a prompt reply, without cost. Address: DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

### LEVEE

Farmers are behind with their spring work.

Burning tobacco beds is the order of the day at this place.

W. S. H. din was here several days the past week on business.

The farmers are engaging their spring lambs at 5c per pound.

T. J. Douglass lost a calf the other day with black-leg.

J. W. Ewell still continues very low with cancer.

John Parish died at his residence near here on Friday.

J. B. Medlin, who is now at D. M. Dillon's, in Rowan county, is very low and his demise is daily expected.

Marrie, on March 16th, at the residence of the bride's parents, Sam Hadden to Miss Lena Harrison. May their joy be as deep as the ocean, their sorrow as light as the foam, is the wish of the writer.

### Shooting Affray.

Yesterday about sundown in front of his store at the Levee, Thos. Douglass shot and seriously wounded Price Maupia with a pistol, the ball taking effect in the stomach. We fail to get particulars.

### Wall Paper.

The American Wall Paper Jobbers Co., of Cincinnati, a firm that carry in stock the latest designs in wall paper, the largest stock, and sells at the lowest prices, is represented here by M. R. Hainline. Samples ready for display. See him at his residence, or call phone 75, and he will answer with samples. 35-41

### Court Day Dinner.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give a court-day dinner on April court. Remember the date and come and get a good dinner.

Last week the residence of G. W. Eldridge near Simpson was burned. Origin of fire not known. House insured for \$250. Contents saved.

### Gardens.

You can't have gardens without seeds. Buy from F. K. Keese. 36-21

### Seed For Sale.

I have 65 bushels of clover seed for sale. T. J. THOMAS, 36-31

Mt. Sterling Ky.

When in Lexington try the Palace Hotel, Pat Mooney proprietor.

## Facts and Observations at Morehead.

We were at this enterprising town from Monday forenoon till Wednesday afternoon. The prime object of the trip was business for the Advocate. There came social and religious pleasures and privileges which are not to be lightly esteemed. Largely forgetting the things that were behind (in the home office) we gave our energies to present surroundings; obtaining a few facts and making more observations.

We were not overwhelmed with orders, (some editors are modest men and stick to facts) receiving only fifteen new subscribers. As some one has said, the visible results were small but much good seed was sown. The harvest will come later.

On Monday for supper we took up our abode at the Cottage Hotel, kept by Mrs. Roine. Our stay was pleasant. This hotel appeared to be popular for both commercial men and lawyers and other gentlemen from surrounding counties.

Yes, we heard some mention made of political matters. We can't tell who will be Governor, but if S. W. Hager, of Ashland, Democratic candidate for Treasurer is as highly appreciated over the State as he is by the Republicans of his own county, he will both be nominated and elected. The foundation for the new court house is not yet finished. Considerable lumber for the frame work is on the ground.

Morehead has not yet put in electric lights and macadamized streets. These will come later as the town progresses. We observed that there are saloons, but few men under the influence of whiskey. We heard some profanity by men, and creaking by four thousand (more or less) frogs. We would much prefer the frog concert for hours than to hear the swearing by even one man for six seconds. If such conduct is kept up the frogs will fare better than the men when the great reckoning comes—and come it will.

Rev. H. D. Combs was summoned for the grand jury but the panel was full before his name was reached.

On the 16th jury was one preacher, Rev. Mann of the Methodist Church.

A man was there selling \$5 electric belts on the installment plan for \$1—50 cash and 50 cents when he returns on the first day of next Circuit Court, money refunded if the belt has not given satisfaction. It seems to be a cure for everything. "Take off your hat and put out your tongue." The plates were adjusted. "Do you feel it?" "Yes." Instantaneous cure for headache.

Eltor Scheitlin, of the Kentucky Mount inder, was on the street on Monday. He has been unable to attend to business for seven weeks. He said he and his partner had sold a mine in California for \$50,000, of which he owned eleven-fourths. The mine has since sold for \$2,000,000.

We attended two night services at the Christian Church. The meeting conducted by Rev. J. T. Hawkins starts out with large attendance. At dinner we had a social hour with Rev. Hawkins at the Academy home. Brother Combs and family are in charge of the home. There are twenty-two rooms in the building, some of which are furnished by Churches over the State. The school is in a prosperous condition. The enrollment is 172. As the years go by we expect great results.

### Lumber Mills Busy.

The lumber mills at Valley View and Ford are running at full blast, enough logs having been caught in the recent tide to keep them running for six months. A large number of men are thereby given steady employment.

**CASTORIA.** The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Hatcher*

### Wanted!

I wish to employ a first-class barber, with or without equipment, Address S. E. Vaughan, Morehead, Ky.

On Saturday, March 11, John W. Lockridge bought of Harvey Daniel eighteen acres of land at \$80 per acre. For silver novelties and everything new and up-to-date in the jewelry line call on L. A. Wise. 35-31

For a full supply of groceries, meats and garden seed, call on C. F. Keese. See the advertisement of Benjamin F. Settles.

# Tuesday Morning You

should come to our store—that is if you are interested in spring clothes. Of course we shall be glad to see you any time, but it is reason the first buyers of the season have the opportunities to better selections. With each succeeding day our stock will grow smaller. The prices will never be lower on the class of goods we handle than they are now.

## Are You Hard to Fit in Shoes?

Then please come in to-day and try on a pair of our Regent \$3.00 Shoes. All colors to suit your taste; any style, to some with cloth tops. If you can't come to-day come some other day. We sell shoes cheaper than any other shoe house.

## Time is Money

And that's what you are after, if we see it right. Save this time season by giving your tailor the go-by with his tiresome measurements. We will sell you a suit or half the price "with double the style." See our English Serge fancy Worsteds in neat patterns light and dark weaves, for \$12.50 \$15.00, \$18.00, \$20.00 and \$22.00 any day this week.

## Limited Means

Are no bar to good clothes. Our \$10.00 suits have all the high cost tailor kinks. We have any amount of styles in all the fashionable weaves. They are the best \$10.00 all wool suits in the market.

## We Are Showing

The best line of 50c. shirts in this town, collars separate or attached, many colors to pick from.

## Neckwear, etc.

Our line of neckwear, collars, suspenders etc. will always be found complete and overflowing with the newest and latest novelties.

## Two Men

May buy hats in the same town, get same brands; one wears, always looks well, while the other gets seedy and brown. There is a reason for this. If you buy your hat from us you shall have no troubles in this line. We have all kinds and lots of them. Knox, Stetson, Miller and others too numerous to mention, in the correct shapes and dyes.

## After School

Bring your boy in. Now is the time to buy his clothes while the stock is complete. We have an elegant line of boys two piece suits from 7 to 15 years at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3, \$3.50, \$4, as high as \$5, made strong and right for boy's wear.

In every instance you get your money back if you don't want the goods—that's right!

Come to the store that gives you the best values.

# WALSH BROS.,

MT. STERLING, KY.

## Resolutions Upon the Death of Adam Baum.

Whereas, it hath pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our friend and colleague, Adam Baum, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Mayor and Board of Council of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky, that in his death the city has lost a valued and faithful officer and the Board of Council a wise and efficient advisor; that this community is deprived of an honest and upright citizen and the business interests a leading and industrious member; that we extend to his bereaved family our deepest sympathy in their great affliction; that these resolutions be spread at large upon the records of the city; that a copy be sent to the family, and the Mt. Sterling papers be requested to publish same.

W. A. DELAVEN, W. R. THOMPSON, Committee.

## New Trial for Moore Refused.

Judge Thompson in the U. S. Circuit Court at Cincinnati refused the petition for a new trial for Editor G. C. Moore, of the Blue Grass Blade, recently sentenced to the penitentiary for misusing the mails. The alleged ground for a new trial—that one jurymen slept, not established.

## Plow Gear.

Call to see and buy 'all you need from our extensive line of gear, etc. O. LAUGHLIN & SON.

## Nice Bonnets.

At Mrs. K. O. Clarke's display on Friday and Saturday.

See the advertisement of Benjamin F. Settles.

## The Best.

There is no use buying an inferior article when the best costs the same money. We can always get the best of everything by looking for it. It is an article of merchandise look for it, provisions, anything, make diligent search for it. W. W. Wilson made a large trade in this way. The people wanted the best of meats; they looked around and found it at his store, and a few visits will prove to his customers that he always kept the very best and charged close prices. Mr. Wilson buys only the best corn-fed stock, slaughtered according to the most modern methods, and hence has only the best for his customers. He also has green groceries.

The Court of Appeals affirmed judgments of \$400 each in four cases against the C. & O. Railroad, in the case of the C. & O. vs. Joseph Lardiers, etc., O. C. C. C. The damages are allowed for injury to property by passing trains, shaking and dislocating foundations to houses.

**CASTORIA.** The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Hatcher*

## For Sale.

I will sell privately a farm of 200 acres on the Mt. Sterling pike, one and a half miles from Sharpsburg. Will sell as a whole or in parts of 125 acres and 75 acres. The farm is finely watered and well fenced. The residence is an old-fashioned log house of five rooms. The large, comparatively new tobacco barn will hold twenty acres. Address

E. E. PACK, Sharpsburg, Ky.

Display of Millinery, Notions and Fancy Goods Friday and Saturday, March 24th and 25th at T. P. Martin & Co's.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

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## Hazel Green Academy.

We are pleased to announce from time to time the good that is being accomplished by the schools in Eastern Kentucky, and desire to encourage the promoters of and teachers in these institutions. The influence of Hazel Green Academy is spreading. The attendance this year is the largest in its history and excellent work has been done by the pupils; the department has not been surpassed.

Another teacher, Miss Inez Hawkins, of Lexington, was added to the faculty February 1.

The boarding department is now under the management of Mrs. Q. C. Daniels, daughter of Rev. H. D. Combs. Recently Rev. J. T. Hawkins, of Lexington, conducted a two weeks' meeting at Hazel Green. Such services greatly strengthen the faith and efforts of the young men and women who attend the school. The labors of Prof. W. H. Cord, the principal, are manifest for great good.

In my repair work of watches or clocks I guarantee satisfaction or money refunded. Give me a call. L. A. WISE, At Tipton's Drug Store.

Senior can furnish a good vehicle for about half what others will ask you.

For fine watch or clock repairing L. A. Wise, at Tipton's drug store, cannot be beat. 35-31

Senior has his display of fine vehicles this week.

## BRING BACK THE LUSTER MAKES OLD LOOK NEW!

**Monarch Polish**

For Furniture, Floor, Tinware, Hardware Polish. For sale by all Dealers. BAIRD BROS. & CO. CLEVELAND, O.



L. A. Woodford & Co.

BRIDGERS OF

Barred and White Plymouth Rocks, Golden Wyandottes, Light Brahmas, Black Langshans, Pit Games, Golden Seabright Bantams, Rose Comb Brown Leghorns, Bronze Turkeys, Pekin Ducks.

Eggs and stock of the above for sale in season. Cash with orders. 22-174 Address—PITTSBURGH, KY.

## Wanted

Live Geese, Ducks, Old Hens. Roosters, Hides, Furs, Tallow, Beeswax, Feathers and Genseng for which I will pay the highest cash price.

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E. T. REIS.

## Removed.

I am now located at J. B. Tipton's drug store. L. A. WISE, 35-31 Jeweler.

Funeral designs and decorations furnished on short notice by the Mt. Sterling Floral Co. 22-11



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**F. C. Duerson's**

DRUG STORE

8 Colors For 5 Cents

No. 7 Court St.

'Phone 129.



## PERSONAL

Thos. Best, of Walnut Hill, is in town.

Wm. VanAntwerp, of Louisville, is at home.

Miss Virginia Grubbs has returned home.

C. M. Clark of Jackson, came on Saturday night.

M. T. McDowdsey and wife spent Sunday in town.

J. G. Trimble on Saturday returned from Hazel Green.

Mrs. L. F. Payne, of Midway, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Samuel Cooley is with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Baum.

Rev. E. G. B. Mann, of Paris, was a visitor in our city on Friday.

G. W. Kincaid has moved from Wades Mill to near Bethel in Bath.

Hon. John S. Talbott, of North Middletown, was in the city yesterday.

Mat Spencer, of Oakdale, was here yesterday. His father's family are well.

Mr. Horace Benton and son Samuel, of Clark county, were in the city yesterday.

James Scoobe attended the burial of his uncle, Robt. McIntyre, at Farmers Sunday.

C. W. and A. J. Nesbitt, of Owingsville, were in town on Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Ross and wife, of Flemingsburg, are here visiting the families of A. W. and W. A. Sutton.

P. Henry Corbitt has returned to Birmingham, Ala. The Advocate will give him the home news.

W. W. Scott, of Bourbon rented Mrs. Minnie Henry's farm near Judy and took possession several days ago.

W. H. Reid, of Stamford, Conn., on Saturday came to spend a few days with the family of his father, J. D. Reid.

Shirley Haddon who is attending school at Lexington, spent Saturday and Sunday at his home near Grassly Lick.

J. H. Bailey, of North Port, Washington, has for a week been visiting the family of N. G. Bailey his father at Howards Mill. He will remain about two months. He left here ten

years ago and his wife is visiting in Virginia.

Mr. Scott Moore and wife, of Louisville, have been here for a few days. Mrs. Moore is a niece of Mrs. Adam Baum.

Mrs. Emma Chennault, of Georgetown is here looking after her business interests and visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. N. H. Trimble and Miss Clara Pieratt on Friday went to Clay City to spend a few days with Miss Mabel McCormick.

Rev. H. D. Clark on yesterday went to Morehead to attend the meeting being held by J. T. Hawkins. He will return on Wednesday.

Thos. J. Bigstaff, John F. King, Roger Barnes returned Sunday noon from a three weeks trip to Florida. They report an exceedingly pleasant trip.

Mrs. Wilder, from Booneville, Ind., arrived in our city yesterday. She will run a piano and organ store at the stand formerly occupied by Mr. Peckham.

G. W. McCormick and wife have left Moultrie, Ga. They arrived here yesterday and will locate some where in Kentucky and engage in business of some kind.

Mr. Thomas Turner, Jr., who has been in New Orleans for some years engaged in the manufacture of furniture was here with his father's family last week. He is in good health, fine spirits, buoyant of his prospects in Havana for which place

he will sail in a few days to conduct a wholesale business of furniture. We will be glad to hear favorable reports from him.

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Chas. E. Day Goes Free.

Charles E. Day, who was charged with the murder of Anderson. Short was tried at Morehead Saturday and the jury after deliberating for forty-five minutes brought in a verdict of not guilty.

Mrs. H. Wilder, of Booneville, Ind., has rented of Mrs. Bruce Trimble her high street residence and will take possession in a few days, as soon as Dr. Dean has vacated. Mrs. Wilder has two daughters, Misses Pearl and Nettie, and a son Percie, aged 18. Her married son Benton and wife will accompany them. Mrs. Wilder is manager for the firm Harding & Riehm, Louisville, Ky., wholesale dealers in musical instruments. She has rented the business room recently occupied by Mr. Peckham. We welcome this family to our midst.

Remember that "The Late Mr. Early" will be here Thursday eve.

## MARRIAGES

WILLIAMS-RYAN.

Married, at the home of the bride near this city, March 15th, at four o'clock, Mr. Coleman Williams and Miss Amelia Ryan, Rev. J. W. Mitchell performing the ceremony. At five o'clock they were given a reception by Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Perry at their beautiful home on the Spencer pike. About fifty of the young people's intimate friends were there and all enjoyed most heartily the dainty lunch served by Mrs. Perry. Coleman and Amelia are an honest, christian gentleman, while the bride is an intelligent and amiable young lady and Mr. Williams is to be congratulated for choosing so wisely his life companion. They received quite a number of nice and useful presents. May they be happy is the wish of their many friends.

At the same time and place, W. S. Holliday and Mrs. Kittie Reesor, sister of the bride, Mrs. Williams, were married.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cassidy announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Elsie, to Dr. M. G. Buckner, Wednesday, April 5th.

Millinery display at Mrs. K. O. Clarke's on Friday and Saturday

W. R. NUNNELLEY.  
CHAS. ARNOLD.

Do you want your measure taken for Suit, Trousers, Fancy Waistcoat, or Fine Overcoat? If so, call

THURSDAY  
and FRIDAY,  
March 23 and 24,

for our EXPERT TAILOR from STRAUSS BROS. will be with us then with a tremendous line of Piece Goods.

## Don't Forget Our Spring Opening

Of a complete line of Men's and Boys' Wear, from March 28 to April 1.

LADIES, you have a donbly special invitation to attend.

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## RELIGIOUS

Barboursville is experiencing a great revival by two female evangelists at the Methodist church. Scores of leading citizens profess sanctification.

Rev. Elbert Dawson reports offerings for Foreign Missions at Union Church, Bath county, \$14.50; at Grange City, Flemming county \$8.50; at White Oak, Bath county \$2.40.

Rev. Henry Miller will preach at Springfield church, Bath county, next Sunday afternoon at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

There will be preaching each day at 3 p. m. and 7 p. m. during this week at the Southern Presbyterian Church by the Rev. Henry Miller, formerly State Evangelist. The public are cordially invited to attend.

There will be preaching at the Southern Presbyterian church by Rev. Henry Miller each afternoon at 3 o'clock and in the evening at 7 o'clock during this week.

Rev. G. W. Young, of Richmond, delivered a very interesting temperance lecture at the Baptist Church on Sunday evening to a large audience. He will always be welcome, and much good will, we hope, be the result. The offering to carry on the noble work was \$31.78.

## Thanks!

Mrs. A. Baum and family desire to thank their friends for sympathy and assistance during their sorrow.

We are asked to express the thanks of the family of J. S. Parrish for kindness shown during his sickness.

## The New Catechism.

Continued from First Page.

A. To observe all the laws of the State unless contrary to the teaching of Christ; to make intercession for the people, and particularly for those in authority; to teach both rulers and people the eternal principles of righteousness, and to imbue the nation with the spirit of Christ.

Q. What is the duty of the State to the Church?

A. To protect all branches of the Church and their individual members in the enjoyment of liberty to worship God, and in efforts to promote the religion of Christ, which do not interfere with the civil rights of others.

Q. What is a christian minister?

A. A christian minister is one who is called of God and the church to be a teacher of the Word and a pastor of the flock of Christ.

Q. How may the validity of such a ministry be proved?

A. The decisive proof of a valid ministry is the sanction of the Divine Head of the Church manifested in the conversion of sinners and the edification of the body of Christ.

Q. What are the Sacraments of the Church?

A. Sacred rites instituted by our Lord Jesus to make more plain by visible signs the inward benefits of the gospel, to assure us of his promised grace, and, when rightly used, to become a means to convey it to our hearts.

Q. How many Sacraments are there?

A. Two only. Baptism and the Lord's Supper.

Q. What is the visible sign in the sacrament of baptism?

A. Water; wherein the person is baptized into the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit.

Q. What inward benefits does this signify?

A. The washing away of sin and the new birth wrought by the Holy Spirit in all who repent and believe.

Q. What are the outward signs in the Lord's Supper?

A. Bread and wine; which the Lord has commanded to be given and received for a perpetual memorial of His death.

Q. What is signified by the Bread and Wine?

A. By the Bread is signified the Body of our Lord Jesus Christ in which he lived and died; by the Wine is signified His Blood, shed once for all upon the cross for the remission of sins.

Q. What do they receive who in penitence and faith partake of this sacrament?

A. They feed spiritually upon Christ as the nourishment of the soul, by which they are strengthened and refreshed for the duties and trials of life.

Q. Why do christians partake in common of the Lord's Supper?

A. To show their oneness in Christ, to show openly their faith in Him, and to give one another a pledge of brotherly love.

Q. What is a christian's chief comfort in this life?

A. That in Christ he belongs to God, who makes all things work together for good to them that love Him.

Q. What hope have we in the prospect of death?

A. We are well assured that all who fall asleep in Christ are with Him in rest and peace; and that even as He rose from the dead, so shall we also rise and be clothed with glorified bodies.

Q. What has Jesus told us of His Second Advent?

A. That, at a time known only to God, He shall appear again with power, to glorify His saints and to be the judge of all mankind; and that for His Appearing we should be always ready.

Q. What is the christian's hope concerning the future state?

A. We look for the life everlasting, wherein all who are saved through Christ shall see God and inherit the kingdom prepared for them from the foundation of the world.

In the 2nd paragraph of introduction the phrase, "with a dissenting vote," should read, "without a dissenting vote."—Ed.]

## CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Sweet Pea seeds, Tobacco Bulbs, Calladium (Calladium Elephant Ear), also Roses, Carnations and Violets, at the Mt. Sterling Floral Co. 35-4

## Damaged By Hail!



## Wheeler & Johns

Have not been damaged by hail, but are being damaged by the Low Prices on

## Furniture

and all kinds of House Furnishing Goods. Come and see some of our damaged prices.

We are headquarters for

## IRON BEDS.



and we sell the best and cheapest Iron Beds in the country.

See our line of Chiffoniers.

A lot of SOLID OAK CENTER TABLES at prices that will surprise you.

You do not have to go to other cities to buy Furniture on account of high prices. We will sell you what you want at Cincinnati prices.

If you haven't got the CASH, your credit is good at our store.

## WHEELER & JOHNS,

Opera House Building,

Mt. Sterling, - - Ky.

## Flow Gearing.

## Saddles and Harness.

Blind Bridles, Back Bands, Trace Chains, Boozell Fox, Collars and Hames.

Wholesale and Retail.

The largest and finest stock in the city. Remember! I sell cheap. The reason why I sell cheap is: I make my own work and sell for cash. I represent the COLT'S CO., CASE, TRACER CO., and the MELBOURNE (Ky.) Buggy Works, whose vehicles are fully warranted and guaranteed in every particular. Call and see the work.

Chas. Reith, THE SADDLER. One door south of Mitchell's Hardware Store MT. STERLING, KY.

## Cheer Up.

As in the spring time a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love, so visions of cleanliness and adornment of the home come to the industrious housewife. Pleasing transformations are wrought by paper and paint. In this issue appears an advertisement of A. Schlegel, an expert in the decorative art.

## Strawberries.

Choose young plants of the most popular varieties, from my new 5-acre bed, the kinds from which the big berries are selected. Start right by getting plants from a specialist: 300 plants \$1.00; 500 plants \$1.40; 1,000 plants \$2.50. Boozell Fox, 36-ft. Winchester, Ky.

## Millinery Display.

On Friday and Saturday my choice line of Millinery will be on exhibition.

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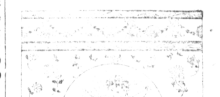
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